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This report contains the results from the **Weekly Broiler Hatchery Report**. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ar> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set Down 3 Percent From Last Year

Arkansas hatcheries set 22.6 million broiler-type eggs during the week ending October 5, 2019, down 3 percent from the comparable week in 2018 and down 7 percent from the previous week.

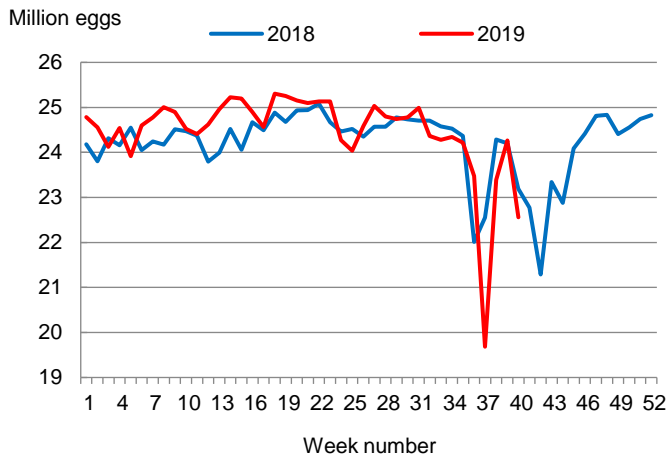
Hatcheries in the United States weekly program set 219 million eggs in incubators during the week ending October 5, 2019, up 1 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed Down 14 Percent

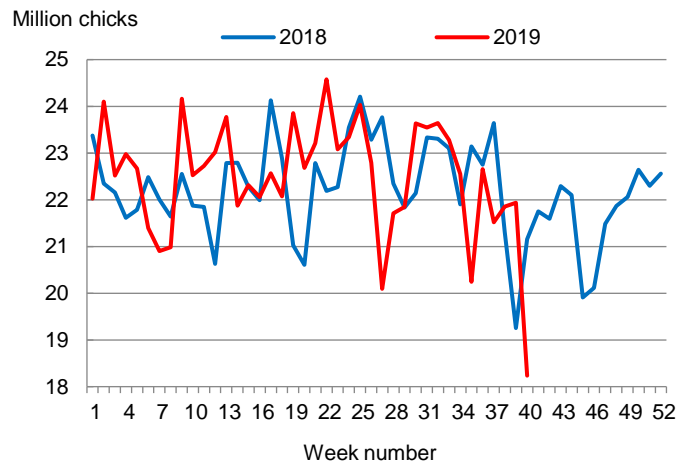
Arkansas broiler-type chicks placed for meat production were 18.2 million during the week ending October 5, 2019, down 14 percent from the comparable week in 2018 and down 17 percent from the previous week.

Broiler growers in the United States weekly program placed 179 million for meat production during the week ending October 5, 2019, up 5 percent from a year ago.

Broiler-Type Eggs Set
Arkansas: 2018 and 2019



Broiler-Type Chicks Placed
Arkansas: 2018 and 2019



Broiler-Type Eggs Set - Selected States and United States: 2019

State	Week ending					
	August 31, 2019	September 7, 2019	September 14, 2019	September 21, 2019	September 28, 2019	October 5, 2019
	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)	(1,000 eggs)
Alabama	32,924	32,638	32,208	31,506	32,091	30,098
Arkansas	24,216	23,476	19,684	23,392	24,267	22,557
Delaware	5,245	5,058	4,778	4,778	4,657	4,754
Florida	1,147	1,147	1,147	1,163	1,178	1,163
Georgia	35,207	34,724	34,621	33,985	34,778	33,359
Kentucky	7,850	7,443	7,314	7,208	7,359	7,199
Louisiana	3,682	3,743	3,688	3,577	3,879	3,295
Maryland	7,435	7,377	7,245	7,990	7,869	7,870
Mississippi	17,653	17,500	17,191	17,621	17,289	15,748
Missouri	8,679	8,629	8,497	8,063	7,654	8,387
North Carolina	23,841	22,088	23,141	23,013	22,954	23,127
Oklahoma	7,724	7,742	6,658	7,394	7,610	7,760
Pennsylvania	5,500	5,194	5,569	5,527	5,254	5,453
South Carolina	5,828	5,737	5,535	5,965	5,740	5,516
Texas	16,759	16,240	16,876	17,473	16,573	16,049
Virginia	6,213	6,174	6,349	6,349	6,160	5,635
CA, TN, and WV	11,024	10,946	11,048	11,104	12,407	11,591
Other States	10,148	9,913	9,794	10,175	9,416	9,533
United States	231,075	225,769	221,343	226,283	227,135	219,094
Percent of previous year	105	104	104	102	106	101

Broiler-Type Chicks Placed - Selected States and United States: 2019

State	Week ending					
	August 31, 2019	September 7, 2019	September 14, 2019	September 21, 2019	September 28, 2019	October 5, 2019
	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)	(1,000 chicks)
Alabama	23,941	24,037	24,280	24,921	23,683	22,679
Arkansas	20,245	22,655	21,519	21,856	21,939	18,236
Delaware	5,270	5,432	5,271	4,558	4,281	4,267
Florida	1,335	1,297	1,169	1,246	1,254	1,264
Georgia	27,196	27,574	27,394	26,500	28,229	28,059
Kentucky	6,172	6,162	6,416	6,454	5,685	5,729
Louisiana	3,452	3,198	3,236	3,178	3,240	3,207
Maryland	5,497	5,776	5,536	6,250	5,848	5,890
Mississippi	15,388	15,340	15,134	14,742	14,912	14,537
Missouri	6,686	6,266	5,785	6,101	5,839	5,684
North Carolina	19,148	19,325	19,073	19,311	18,156	18,794
Oklahoma	5,673	3,935	5,470	4,921	4,561	4,406
Pennsylvania	4,156	3,993	3,829	4,095	3,937	4,094
South Carolina	5,327	5,243	5,617	5,731	4,573	4,949
Texas	14,290	14,395	14,192	13,921	13,432	13,902
Virginia	5,811	5,434	5,247	5,433	5,818	5,634
CA, TN, and WV	10,431	10,502	9,736	9,900	9,816	10,037
Other States	7,731	7,756	7,260	7,595	7,776	7,449
United States	187,749	188,320	186,164	186,713	182,979	178,817
Percent of previous year	102	103	103	105	105	105